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In re Patent Application of)
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Application No.: 09/856,904) Examiner: Catharine L. Anderson
Filed: August 29, 2001) Confirmation No.: 5309
For: AN ABSORBENT ARTICLE HAVING)
A MATERIAL LAMINATE THAT)
COMPRIMES A LIQUID)
PERMEABLE TOP SHEET AND A)
LIQUID PERMEABLE LIQUID)
TRANSFER SHEET)

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated August 11, 2004, having a three-month shortened statutory response period and for which one (1) additional month has been petitioned, please amend the above identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the claim summary which begins on page two of this paper.

Remarks begin on page six of this paper.